

# City of Memphis Alcohol Commission Meeting Minutes March 3, 2021

- I. Call to Order The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:08 a.m.
- II. Roll Call The following Commissioners were present via teleconference: Barry Chase, Erma Hayslett, Jared Johnson, Renee Poe, Anna Vergos Blair and Johnsie Wallace Gault. The following Commissioner was not present: Steven Reid.
- III. Approval of the minutes from the previous meeting (February 3, 2021) The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to today's meeting. Commissioner Chase moved to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Commissioner Poe seconded. The motion passed.

# IV. Special Beer Applicant(s)

1. Alice A. Eilers-Guttensohn – 3050 Central Avenue – "Fossil Fest"

Date(s): March 27 & March 28, 2021

Time: 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Rain Date: April 17, 2021

Sponsoring Organization: Memphis Museums Inc.

Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)

Mrs. Alice A. Eilers-Guttensohn was present via teleconference for this location. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, Commissioner Poe moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Vergos Blair seconded. The motion passed.

(Account #T22801)

2. Caroline Norris – 6903 Great View Drive – "Shelby Farms Park Conservancy Canoe and Cocktails"

Date(s): April 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 29, 30, 2021

Time: 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Sponsoring Organization: Shelby Farms Park Conservancy

Purpose of funds: Charitable; 1 booth(s)

Applicant was not present via teleconference for this location. Commissioner Chase moved to continue this location to the March 17, 2021 meeting. Commissioner Poe seconded. The motion passed.

(Account #T23084)

# V. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for "ON" Premise Consumption:

3. Sarah Titus (GM/POA) and Jan Craig (Attorney) – 33 Beale Street – Hyatt Corporation – dba – "Hyatt Centric Beale Street Memphis"

Attorney Jan Craig was present via teleconference for this location. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, Commissioner Poe moved to

approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.

(Account #T25135)

4. Nicholas Scott – 2583 Broad Avenue – Salt and Soy LLC – dba – "Salt and Soy" Mr. Nicholas Scott was present via teleconference for this location. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, Commissioner Poe moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Vergos Blair seconded. The motion passed.

(Account #T24771)

(Account #T25097)

5. Michael Westmoreland, Stephanie Westmoreland and Cullen Nelson – 150 Peabody Place, Suite 111 – Sugar Grits, LLC – dba – "Sugar Grits" Mr. Michael Westmoreland was present via teleconference for this location. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, Commissioner Poe moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Vergos Blair seconded. The motion passed.

## VI. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for "OFF" Premise Consumption:

- 6. Animesh Mandal, Dhananjoy Kumar and Sanjay Roy 2205 East Holmes Road A & H Group, Inc. dba "Airways Xpress" Mr. Animesh Mandal was present via teleconference for this location. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, Commissioner Poe moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Vergos Blair seconded. The motion passed.
  - (Account #T24996)
- Mohammad Bhuiyan, Hakim Sahiduszzaman, Syed Hossain, MD Hossain, Nusrat Shorna and Layak Miah – 2864 Thomas Street – Thomas Express Inc. – dba – "Thomas Food Mart" Applicant was not present via teleconference for this location. Commissioner Chase moved to continue this location to the March 17, 2021 meeting. Commissioner Poe seconded. The motion passed. (Account #T25094)

#### VII. New Business

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IX. Adjournment – There being no further business to come before the commission, Commissioner Chase moved for adjournment at approximately 9:35a.m. Commissioner Poe seconded. The motion passed.

Jared Johnson, Chairperson

Yolanda Fullilove, Executive Secretary

Date

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